

**TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE**



**FISCAL NOTE**

**SB 126**

February 2, 2011

**SUMMARY OF BILL:** Prohibits the use of an order of protection or restraining order against a custodial parent by the non-custodial parent as grounds for amending the custodial agreement unless a court finds the child is the victim of child abuse or the effects of domestic violence.

**ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:**

**NOT SIGNIFICANT**

Assumptions:

- According to the Administrative Office of the Courts, the specification of a legal standard with regard to child custody and orders of protection or restraining orders will not have a fiscal impact on the court system.
- Any decrease in filings concerning amendments to child custody agreements will be minimal and will not result in a significant decrease in revenue or expenditures.

**CERTIFICATION:**

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

A handwritten signature in blue ink, reading "James W. White".

James W. White, Executive Director

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